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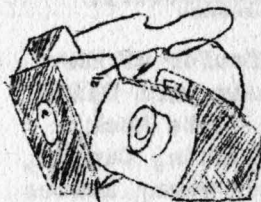
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# NAP HOT



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## MIXER TIDBITS

Now, young ladies, do you all have pencil and paper? Good, as I believe I can give you some very important pointers about tonight's special event.

This particular social function, The Mixer, is somewhat rare -- rare in the fact that there are only two a year, and rare in the fact that it is too priceless to miss.

As for the people one meets at such a function, there are several young men, I believe, who happen in from neighboring parts such as Marquette, Extension, State Teachers, and the like...

Now these young men are very nice as a rule, but often the quantity exceeds the demand and so many of them feel left out that they repair to the corner to sulk in disgust. This should not be allowed to

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## SILENT TYPES

With all the introductions, you still have not met some of the noblest figures at MDC; so.....

The two on silent watch outside of chapel are Aeschines and Sophocles, and on the way up to the second floor, we encounter Minerva, stern deity of wisdom and war, and Diana, goddess of the chase -- and the moon. What better habitat for them than MDC?

The formidable frown which greets us at the head of the stairs belongs to Dante. Well, you'd frown too if you'd been standing up there as long as he has. Of course with Hermes there to keep him company, you would think he'd at least try to be civil.

We want you to realize how important these people are in our affairs. After all, what better places are there to hang posters?

## INTRODUCING.....!

Erika Pfeufer of Munich, Germany, and Olive Johnson of White Rock, British Columbia, Canada, are two more young ladies in the ranks of the foreign students at Downer this year.

Before coming to Downer, Erika studied at the University of Munich. She has been especially impressed by the light-hearted, fun loving spirit at Downer and the way the students work together. She says that this will be a "year of holidays" for her. Erika is working toward her doctor's degree in sociology and hopes to work with young people in youth camps all over Europe.

Olive is a freshman OT major. Coming from comparatively near-by, she feels right at home at Downer. Always ready and willing, she is one of the first to answer the call "Freshman, answer the telephone!" But behind those twinkling, friendly eyes is a very serious girl who has hopes of some day working with the Canadian Indians and helping them to improve their lot.

## SCOUTING THE CLUBS

Downer's clubs are getting into full swing. The addition of the newly revived International Relations Club to the list of organizations fills the activity schedule to "bulging."

The Home Ec Style Show, which has been postponed until November 28, promises to be bigger and better than ever. Let's see every one turn out for the big event.

Studio Club has already discussed plans for the Christmas Fair and the German Club has started on it's annual Christmas play. Is it that close? Better start saving those pennies.

The AA Membership Drive began last Monday with a bang-up, song-filled skit. The drive will continue until next week.

Religious Council will forge ahead with its usual vim, vigor, and vitality and will promote all-college meetings.

As for members of Mountebanks, they are eagerly awaiting the results of the tryouts for "Taming of the Shrew". The current question is, "Are you a shrew?"

## HEARING THINGS

Whether empty or packed  
with book-laden students,  
Downer's halls and rooms  
are awake with the sounds  
of steam filled pipes and  
wind swept roofs and dis-  
tant footsteps or creaking  
stairs. Merrill's Clock is  
the conductor of this sym-  
phony of sound with its  
ever swinging pendulum and  
moving arms. Here, there  
are banging locker doors,  
and there, turning pages  
that mark time with their  
rotation.

And then there are the  
livelier noises of return-  
ing hockey players, sing-  
ing classmates, and "hap-  
py" sophomore city stu-  
dents as they find gifts  
of limburger cheese in  
their lockers.

The dorms have quiet  
hours when only padded  
footsteps and muffled  
voices can be heard, but  
hang on to the chandeliers  
when quiet hours are over  
or you might get blown out  
of the halls by those  
"sweet, feminine" calls  
for advice, assignments,  
and information.

But don't let those  
noises bother you! If you  
were as big and as old as  
this college, you would  
wheeze, too!

## FLUTTERED DECORUM

Lovely are trees  
in their burial  
shrouds.  
With their leaves flung  
up to flattened  
clouds.  
No one can blame them,  
for death is not  
modest,  
He strips off their  
leaves while the  
wind laughs the  
loudest.

### SKY BABY

Half-a-moon, half-a-  
moon, up in the sky,  
Are you waiting for na-  
ture to sing "Rock-  
a-Bye?"

### CAR RIDE

How deep the night,  
and still the sky!  
Yet, unorthodox lights  
distract the eye.

### "MIXER" cont.

happen and I would like to  
take this opportunity to  
urge all of you to try to  
make these guests feel  
welcome. And, please, up-  
perclassmen, remember we  
are young ladies at all  
times and give the freshmen  
a fair chance.



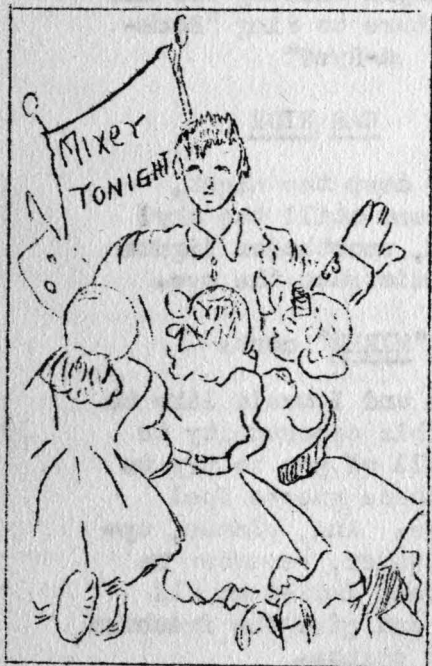
## QUICK SNAPS

Miss Phillips: What do we know about men who wore pointed beards in the days of Chaucer?

Jan Chermak: They had pointed chins.

### THE CLASS HOOTED!

This was too good to pass up. Quoting from a book of Confucius' quotations, the Reverend Mr. Simon read, "I do not like the purple, for it confuses us with the red." Well, how was Confucius to know that Mr. Simon would choose to read this.



particular sentence to a philosophy class with a 50% sophomore membership on the first day of fall razzing?

At about 12:40 on Monday, Carla Schacht began gathering up her books and started up on her way to chapel. Why so early? She wanted to "get a good seat for the movie."

"Why do radio announcers have small hands?"

"They need 'Wee paws' for station identification!"

Well, we were desperate for material this week.

### ENGAGEMENTS

Dolores Anello to John Haering  
Sue Johnson to Robert Panzer.

### TIME EXPOSURES

- Oct. 20 All College Mixer  
Greene and gym  
8:00 P.M.  
Oct. 25 OT Craft Seminar  
Merrill 7:00 P.M.  
Oct. 26 Spanish Club Meeting  
Greene 7:15 P.M.